BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Normal.	*Current.*
Prices of food grains—Rice	... 10 to 11.	8 to 8½.
Ragi	... 25 to 30.	25 to 30.

State of standing crops fair.

Small extent of ragi under harvest.

Prospect and probable out turn of ragi 8 to 10 annas.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder sufficient.

BANGALORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Paddy is being harvested throughout the district. Kadale or Bengal gram is being sown in parts of Kankanhalli. Sugar-cane is being milled in Anekal. Avare and togare are reported to have been slightly damaged in Channapatna on account of the recent showers and cloudy atmosphere.

10. Prospects of the season good.

11. Public health generally good except in Kankanhalli and Devanhalli Taluks where fever prevails.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder abundant.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Vaisakhi paddy in all the taluks excepting Chikballapur and Malur is being sown. Ragi and paddy in all the taluks; and samé in Gudibanda, is being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season fair. Food stocks are reported to be ample.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Paddy in Maddagiri, Koratagere, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi, Turuvekere and Kunigal; kulthi in Tumkur, Sira, Gubbi and Pavagada; sugar-cane in Tumkur, Gubbi and Kunigal; samé in Koratagere, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Turuvekere; ragi and haraka in Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Turuvekere and Kunigal; navane in Sira and Turuvekere; castor in Gubbi and Pavagada; black gram in Turuvekere; and cow gram, and togare in Pavagada, are being harvested. Paddy in Tumkur, Maddagiri, Koratagere, Sira and Pavagada; jola in Maddagiri; kadale in Koratagere, Chiknayakanhalli and Gubbi; green gram in Gubbi; and coriander in Gubbi, Turuvekere and Kunigal, are being sown. Probable out turn 11 annas in Tumkur.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks are reported to be ample.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *viz.*, paddy, sugar-cane, ragi, horse gram, black and green grams, Bengal gram, ballar, togare, castor, hutchellu, coriander, menthya, chillies, samé, navane, tobacco, and mulberry are reported to be in good condition. Paddy, horse gram and green gram in the Heggaddevankote Taluk; paddy, togare, castor, black and green grams and horse gram in the Nanjangud Taluk; horse gram, togare, hutchellu, halasandi, samé and navane in the T. Narsipur Taluk; and paddy in the Malvalli Taluk, are being harvested. Horse gram, Bengal gram, togare and ballar are being damaged by insects in parts of the Gundlupet Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season good.

11. Public health good. Fever is reported to be still prevalent in parts of the Hunsur Taluk.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops [illegible] castor, chillies, [illegible]

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks are abundant.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Fodder and water sufficient.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *viz.*, paddy, ragi, horse gram, sugar-cane, pigeon-pea, Bengal gram and castor, beans in Shimoga and Honnali Taluks are in good condition. Paddy, ragi, horse gram, jola and chillies are being harvested in the Shimoga, Channagiri, Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks. Arecanut is being gathered in the Malnad Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle are in healthy condition except in parts of the Shikarpur and Sagar Taluks, where they are suffering from foot and mouth disease.

KADUR.

8. Market fairly supplied.

9. Standing crops, *i. e.*, sugar-cane in the Koppa Taluk; togare, Bengal gram, ballar and chillies in the Tarikere Taluk; sugar-cane, ballar, togare, Bengal gram, chillies and castor in the Kadur Taluk and sugar-cane, ballar, Bengal gram, togare and chillies in the Chikmagalur Taluk, are in good condition. Paddy, ragi, jola and horse gram in the Tarikere Taluk; paddy, ragi and jola in the Chikmagalur Taluk and paddy and arecanut in the malnad parts and ragi and horse gram in the Kadur Taluk, are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Fodder and water available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition throughout the district, except in parts of the Holalkere Taluk, where pigeon-pea and cow gram are being damaged by insects. Jola and ragi in the Holalkere Taluk; horse gram in the Hosdurga Taluk; ragi, Italian millet, sessamum and castor in the Challakere Taluk; and jola and ragi in the Jagalur Taluk, are being harvested. Bengal gram, and white jola are being sown in the Chitaldrug Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season fair. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient.

11. Public health generally good. Fever prevails in Challakere and Hiriyur Taluks and in the towns of Jagalur and Molakalmuru.

12. Cattle healthy. Pasture and water sufficient.

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